



Parish of Our Lady of Kāpiti

Te Whaea Tapu o Kāpiti

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16th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year B - 22 July 2018

Readings: Jer 23:1-6; Eph 2:13-18; Mk 6:30-34

Haere mai e te whanau, Tena koutou katoa, a kia noho te Ariki ki a koutou.

Welcome, family, greetings to you all. May the Lord be with you.

Dear Parishioners,

"It is tempting to read this gospel passage [Mark 6:30-34] from the point of view of the harried, overworked missionaries...but this passage is peppered with spiritual symbols and they tell a different story...it is not time for a break from mission. It is time for a deeper teaching about the nature of the mission and how it is to be carried out. They are invited to 'come away to a deserted place' to 'rest' and to 'eat'. A deserted place...is not where food is normally found. Therefore the desert becomes a symbol for learning how to be fed by God...to come away to that place means to return to the Source, to be nurtured by God."

- John Shea

With every blessing in Christ, Michael McCabe, Parish Priest

PASTORAL AREA ACTIVITIES

SUNDAY 22 JULY

Miha Maori 8.30am Mass

Coffee at The Trattoria & Deli, Coastlands car park, 10 - 12 noon. "Carpe Diem"! A warm welcome to those recently bereaved, or anyone wishing to join us. Ph Annette 021 264 4567.

Lambert Family Group meet **10 Pin Bowling Alley** 11.45a.m. for 12 noon lunch (\$10-\$15) with optional Bowls to follow. Bring sox if playing. (\$11 for 1 game, \$18 for 2). Enquiries Helen 902-2246.

MONDAY 23 JULY

Charismatic Prayer Group meets for prayer and praise 1.30pm in Our Lady of Fatima Church meeting room. All welcome.

'Brainstorming Gathering' for fundraising ideas 4.30pm at the Knight's home – 8 Conifer Court, Raumati Beach. Please RSVP by phone 299 1539. (see reverse for more detail)

TUESDAY 24 JULY

Mass St Patrick's Hall 9.30am

Old Ducks...Women's Prayer and Scripture Group meet 10-11.30am in Paraparaumu. All welcome. Phone Chris Todd 298 8984 or Lyn Jarden 905 2588.

Christian Meditation 4 - 5pm in Our Lady of Fatima meeting room. Ph Eleanor Hopping 904 2525.

WEDNESDAY 25 JULY

Ecumenical Service Parkwood Lodge 11am. Theme 'The New Testament Canticles'. Contact Catherine 293 2978

Not your usual Sunday Readings 1.30pm 23 Crown Hill, Paraparaumu. Ph Michele Ness 298 7378.

THURSDAY 26 JULY

Music Jam 7 - 8pm in the Library at Our Lady of Kāpiti School for all those in Year 5 and up. If you can sing, play an instrument or just hum a tune, come and join us.

Not your usual Sunday Readings Meetings will resume in August.

FRIDAY 27 JULY

Mass 9.30am St Patrick's Hall

Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion 9.30am Our Lady of Fatima Church

Fun Time Pre-School Music 10.30-11.30am in St Patrick's Hall, Our Lady of Kāpiti School. All pre-schoolers with their parents/caregivers welcome, \$2 donation.

SATURDAY 28 JULY

Men's Prayer Group 8.45am at the home of Howard Walker, 4 Stoneleigh Grove, Paraparaumu

SUNDAY 29 JULY

Sacramental Programme - First Holy Communion
First session for the First Holy Communion programme for candidates and parents

9.45 - 10.45am - St Patrick's Hall and the Library at Our Lady of Kapiti School.

Prayer Focus:

For unity within our parish, now and in the future. May our new parish church become a symbol of this unity.

Our Lady of Kāpiti Building Fund Account : 02-0536-0170550-20

Psalm Response: The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.

PASTORAL NOTICES

"A Brainstorming Gathering"

A warm welcome is extended to all those who would like to contribute ideas for our new church fundraising efforts. This is to be held on **Monday 23 July at 4.30pm** at the Knight's home – 8 Conifer Court, Raumati Beach.

Please RSVP by phone 299 1539.

Even if you feel short on ideas, the fundraising group is also short on willing helpers.

Come along and see if you can assist in any way."

Annual Diocesan Youth Mass and Event - 5 August

Due to unforeseen circumstances regretfully we have had to cancel the Diocesan Youth Mass due to take place on 5 August at St Pat's Hall.

We may be able to hold The Game of Life as a separate event later in the year.

Jacqui & Delwyn

Mobile: 022 6757 357 Email: kapiti.youth@gmail.com

Accept surprises that upset your plans, shatter your dreams, give a completely different turn to your day and - Who knows? - to your life. It's not chance.

Leave God free to weave the pattern of your days.'

.....Hélder Câmara

REMINDER

If you are responding to God's invitation to take part in the Life in the Spirit Seminar organised by the Monday Afternoon Prayer Group, please register by 25 July with Lorraine Email: lorgaff@gmail.com or Phone 905 2402.

It will be for 7 consecutive Wednesdays from

1 August - 12 September 7:30 - 9:00pm.

at St Patrick's Hall, Paraparaumu.

Remember what Pope Francis said -

"I invite all Christians everywhere, at this very moment, to a renewed personal encounter with Jesus Christ"

SAVE THE DATE for ALL

26th to 28th October

A massive weekend of celebration

Friday 26th A dinner at Southwards - dinner, auction, music & entertainment.

Saturday 27th A gala at Our Lady of Kapiti School, profits split equally between the school and building fund.

Helpers, goods and volunteers needed at every level.

Sunday 28th Outdoor Mass @ Our Lady of Kapiti School.

All inquiries re the events, goods & volunteers

Bob Houston: bobhouston@xtra.co.nz or 0274 898017

We offer our condolences and prayerful sympathy to

Mary McElligott on the death this week of her husband Ron McElligott. **May he rest in peace.**

PLEASE SEE NOTICE BOARD IN CHURCH FOYER FOR ALL EVENTS IN THE ARCHDIOCESE

REMEMBERING THE HOLY SOULS - MAY THEY REST IN PEACE



Ron McElligott, Fred Plimmer, Lorna Pluma, Stan Witkowski, Alina Przychodzko, Barbara Benitone, Trudy Unverricht, Sr Jean Sinclair, Maureen Jensen, Paddy McConnell, Ken Doyle, Nell Plimmer, Maxine Plimmer, Patricia & Edward Plimmer, Albie Pawson, Bernard Dowd, Vincent & Marion McGlone.

Readings for 23 - 29 July

Monday 23 July

Micah 6:1-4, 6-8; Mt 12:38-42

Tuesday 24 July

Micah 7:14-15, 18-20; Mt 12:46-50

Wednesday 25 July

2 Cor 4:7-15; Mt 20:20-28

Thursday 26 July

Jer 2:1-3, 7-8, 12-13; Mt 13:10-17

Friday 27 July

Jer 3:14-17; Mt 13:18-23

Saturday 28 July

Jer 7:1-11; Mt 13:24-30

Sunday 29 July

2 Kg 4:42-44; Eph 4:1-6; Jn 6:1-15



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Our Lady of Fatima Church
29 Parata Street, Waikanae

Saturday Vigil Mass 5.30pm
Sunday Mass 10am

WEEKDAY TIMETABLE

Tues & Thurs: Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion 9.30am

Wednesday: Mass 9.30am

Friday: Mass 9.30am every 2nd Week

Liturgy of the Word with Holy

Communion on alternate Fridays.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Friday 8.50am
Sacrament of Reconciliation follows Friday Mass

Parish Priest: Fr Michael McCabe
Ph (04) 902 5815

Office location

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Maureen Jones & Marie Lemmon

Office Hours

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St Patrick's Hall
Presentation Way,
off 20 Milne Drive, Paraparaumu
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